

TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, March 4.

Two hundred and twenty men went out sailing from Trinity bay, Newfoundland, without extra clothing or food. A terrible blizzard arose which scattered the boats, swamping some and disabling others. Few were able to reach refuge. Over 40 lives lost, most of whom were married men. Thirteen were frozen solid in the boats, and had to be chopped out of the ice. There is great lamentation and the legislature has adjourned as a mark of sympathy.

The nominations for the Quebec provincial elections took place on Tuesday. Elections next Tuesday. Three ministers and four supporters of the ministry, and two members of the opposition were elected by acclamation.

Dugas, conservative was elected to the commons for Montcalm, Quebec.

Nova Scotia and New Brunswick legislatures opened on Thursday.

Polling in the Monck election is postponed until the 12th instant.

East Simcoe official count gives Bennett 17 majority.

Joseph Freemont has been elected mayor of Quebec without opposition.

Fifty persons were killed and many injured in a railway collision near Rio Janeiro, Brazil.

Eighty three married men were drowned during recent gales on the Portuguese coast, leaving widows and 233 children unprovided for. Many other men were lost.

WINNIPEG, March 5.

Lord Salisbury declines to renew the modus vivendi with the United States regarding Behring's sea sealing, but will undertake to prevent pelagic sealing within 30 miles of the Pribilof islands. It is believed that president Harrison will enforce the law dealing with the seizure of poachers in Behring's sea and may cancel the bonding privilege extended to Canadian railways.

CALGARY, March 5.

Calgary won two curling games: 22 to 10 and 13 to 9.

LOCAL.

WHEAT now brings 50 cents a bushel
F. ARMSTRONG has leased the Jasper House stables.

JUDGE ROULEAU arrived on Monday's train to hold court.

P. D. CAMPBELL left on Friday's train on a trip to Calgary.

The electric light will not be turned on Monday morning.

J. WALTER, who has been very ill for some time, is recovering.

Mrs. J. L'Hirondelle, of St. Albert, died last week of dropsy.

Mrs. H. S. Young has been seriously ill but is now recovering.

COURT of revision of the Edmonton school district is sitting to-day.

The H. B. Co. Peace river packet arrived on Tuesday by dog train.

E. CAREY, whose right leg was broken last week, is progressing favorably.

Rev. E. B. Glass, of Battle river, who is in town for medical treatment, is recovering.

SLEIGHING is bad in town and wagons are in general use. The snow still holds its own in the country.

A copy of the ordinances passed by the Northwest assembly at its late session was received on Monday's mail.

No morning service in Methodist church to-morrow. Methodist church service will be held in South Edmonton.

Mrs. LABRIE, who arrived from Minnesota last summer with her husband and family, died suddenly at St. Albert this week.

INSPECTOR Chalmers and Staff-Sergeant Cooper returned from attending the Herchmer enquiry, on Thursday's train.

W. HOWEY has removed his butcher shop to the building between W. Fielder's implement warehouse and J. Looby's harness shop.

M. D. DORAY has started cheese factories at C. Paradise, Horse Hill creek, H. Vezina, Horse Hill and at F. Lamoureux, Fort Saskatchewan.

SIMON FRASER, who has been fishing at Peace lake all winter, has returned to Edmonton with his family, as the fishing is over for the season.

Mr. Johnstone, of the government board of works, arrived on Thursday's train to locate the new land and registry offices and to report on the same. His instructions will arrive on Monday.

THE country between MacLeod and Calgary is bare of snow.

D. L. CLINK, Indian agent at Bears' hill, was in town this week.

SUPERINTENDENT Griesbach will not be back for a week or more.

MRS. R. McKERNAN returned on Monday's train from a visit to Ontario.

JOHN Cameron shipped a carload of wheat to Toronto on Wednesday's train.

THREE settlers, who took land in the Sturgeon settlement last fall, arrived on Wednesday with two wagons loaded with farm supplies, having driven overland from Calgary.

F. G. DAVIDSON, lessee of the Jasper House stables, has commenced the erection of a new stable for himself, in rear of J. Looby's harness shop.

SUPERINTENDENT Niblock visited Edmonton last week to arrange for the construction of a corral and chute for cattle shipment. The work is now nearly completed.

A PARTY of Bears' hill Indians was in town this week with 700 bushels of wheat to be ground in the mill. These Indians are more nearly self supporting this year than they have yet been.

D. W. DAVIS, M. P., was banqueted at Calgary on February 24th. Lieutenant-governor Royal was present and most of the notables of Calgary, including Mr. Davis' late opponent, Jas. Reilly.

W. MALONEY has purchased 4,000 bushels of seed oats in the Edmonton district this week. He has paid 25c a bushel, delivered at the station. Mr. Maloney has been careful to select only good clean grain.

A SMALL frame house, on the Cliffe property, east end of town, was removed to river lot 12 on Thursday, by the Edmonton Carriage Co. The family occupying the house was not disturbed during the operation.

OWING to the world wide prevalence of the grippe, the pope has remitted the usual lenten fast, observed by members of the Roman Catholic church. Holy Thursday, Good Friday and the following day will be observed as fast days.

CANON NEWTON, of the Hermitage writes the BULLETIN that the creek which puts into the Saskatchewan, at the Hermitage, has much the same qualities as the spring at Battle river lake, mentioned two weeks ago. The temperature of the water is very equal and it is charged with iodine.

ROBERT CROCKART, who resided on the South Side this winter, removed to Beaver Lake on Friday, taking with him two stallions, Royal Oak, draught horse, and a coach horse. He will return to Edmonton in April with the former for service purposes, and the latter will be used at Beaver lake.

W. MALONEY has purchased two lots, 88 feet front by 100 feet deep, west side of Fraser avenue, immediately adjoining the H. B. Co. store, for \$700. He will at once erect a building 40x60 for use as an implement warehouse. He is establishing a business here as general dealer in farm machinery and implements.

A PUBLIC meeting was held at the German school house, Stony Plain settlement, on February 24th to consider the subject of a road to Edmonton. F. Penplett chairman, John Eccles secretary. The meeting was in favor of improving the road allowance two miles south of the 14th base line, which passes through the Indian reserve, and which the present trail to the reserve follows in a general way.

IN response to a request made by the Northwest assembly, Mr. Van Horne, president of the C. P. R., has been graciously pleased to announce that he will grant three immigration passes for each Northwest electoral district, to be issued to practical farmers only during the months of October, November, December, January, February and March. The enterprise which prompts this announcement at the beginning of the last month for which the promise is available, is worthy of special note.

THE C. P. R. will transport Nos. 1 and 2 life wheat, up to a certain standard, free of charge between stations, on their main line, from Winnipeg to Calgary, including branch lines. Seed wheat offered for shipment must be carefully examined by the shipping agent, and if equal to official sample will bill the shipment "free seed," charges to be collected at destination. The wheat on arrival at destination to be delivered free on execution of a satisfactory bond from consignee that the wheat will be sown by him, on his farm, and used for no other purpose. Shipments intended for delivery at flag stations must be covered by special order from the traffic department of the United line.

LAST Sunday the Rev. Canon Newton received many kind greetings from the people of the Sturgeon on his first visit after his recent illness.

MESSRS. Pearce and Irwin delegates from the Parry Sound colonization company, who arrived last week returned on Wednesday's and Friday's trains respectively. They examined the region south east of Fort Saskatchewan and were well suited with it. Mr. Irwin also examined the region Northwest of St. Albert, in order to find sufficient room if the colony should be larger than as yet expected. Although large numbers of settlers have left the Parry Sound district in recent years for the States, and are still going, Messrs. Pearce and Irwin have met with the strongest opposition from local influences to their attempt to turn the tide in favor of our own country. It is almost impossible to believe that men can be so short sighted in regard to their own selfish interests as to stand in the way of a movement which is the only industrial, commercial and political salvation of the country.

D. M. RADCLIFFE, who arrived this week to attend to the shipment to British Columbia of the cattle purchased some weeks ago by Mr. Beach, has purchased quite a large additional number, at mutually satisfactory prices. He finds a large number of cattle in the district for sale, but only a small number proportionately fit for market. The cattle have been fed only on hay, while there is an abundance of coarse grains and roots to have fattened them thoroughly. The reason farmers did not make it a point to have their cattle intended for sale in prime condition at this time was that they had not sufficient faith in the certainty of a British Columbia demand. Mr. Radcliffe says that a large demand for fat cattle at this season of the year can always be depended upon from British Columbia and also that if the cattle are here buyers will come after them. This is valuable information, as it settles at once the question of a profitable market for cattle and for coarse grains and roots, when turned into beef as well.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

EDMONTON RIFLE ASSOCIATION. Annual meeting will be held in the Secretary's office, Tuesday, 8 inst., at 8, p. m. By order.

THE HUBSON'S BAY COMPANY, EDMONTON.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Under The Territories Real Property Act. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 119 of "The Territories Real Property Act," I the undersigned registrar of the Northern Alberta Land Registration District hereby give notice that after the expiration of thirty days from the giving of this notice I will issue to Alexander McDonald of the City of Winnipeg in the Province of Manitoba, Merchant, a provisional certificate of ownership for Lots number 45, 46 and 47 in Block number 2 in River Lot 12 of the settlement of Edmonton according to registered Plan 'D' in book of certificate of ownership numbered 299 dated 12th July, 1888, which has been lost.

Dated Edmonton, February 26th, 1892.
GEO. ROY,
Registrar N. A. L. R. D.
Back & McNamara,
Attorneys for the Applicant.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, MARCH. 5, 1892

TOWN COUNCIL.

Council met on Wednesday evening in Field's hall. All present except Carey.

Communications were received from Andrew Grant, asking for position of pound-keeper; from D. McKinlay, asking for position of town constable and also of immigration agent; from G. R. F. Kirkpatrick, regarding overdue note of the incorporation committee; and from the same submitting the names of J. A. McDougall and N. D. Beck as sureties for his treasurer; from Fraser & Co., asking exemption from taxation for one year; from the town clerk of Calgary, re copies of the by-laws; from W. J. Fletcher, asking for position of town clerk; The applications for position of pound-keeper, constable and immigration agent were filed; the sureties offered by the treasurer were accepted. The applications of Fraser & Co. and of W. J. Fletcher were referred to the finance committee.

The following petition was presented:

"The undersigned ratepayers of the town of Edmonton hereby respectfully request that you will at once cause the proper steps to be taken:

1st. To widen Queen street at its junction with Jasper avenue so that it shall be 66 feet wide at all points; to do this it will be necessary for the town to purchase or expropriate the westerly 33 feet of lot 40 on the Pritchard estate.

2nd. To improve Jasper avenue so that the northern boundary between Fraser avenue and Namayo avenue may be an unbroken straight line; and to improve Namayo avenue so that it may be a uniform width of 66 feet at its junction with Jasper avenue; to do this it will be necessary to cause the two buildings at present occupied, the one by Messrs Brown & Curry, and the other by Mr. Goodwin and Mrs. Kelly to be removed, and for the town to purchase or expropriate portions of the land on which each of these buildings stands.

"These steps your petitioners submit will be very shortly a necessity, and they believe that the properties in question can be obtained now at such comparatively small figures that it will be to the town's advantage to proceed with the matter at once."

The petition was laid on the table.

The finance committee reported, That Campbell Young's application for the position of town clerk be accepted.

That St. George Jellett's application, for the collectorship, be accepted.

That the mayor be requested to give an order in favor of the Imperial bank to retire a note for \$125, given by certain citizens to raise the funds to forward to Regina on account of incorporation.

That the agreement with Beck & McNamara be signed by the clerk.

The accounts of F. Oliver for advertising, \$30, and R. Strachan, \$5, were recommended for payment.

Cameron and Fraser moved that the appointment of the town clerk be referred back to the finance committee.

Daly and Fraser moved the adoption of the remainder of the report.

Strang and Cameron moved that the board of works be composed of Messrs. Fraser, Daly and Strang.

Moved by Strang and Daly that an expenditure of \$4 be authorized for postage stamps, and \$7 for Northwest ordinances.

Strang and Cameron moved that the assessor proceed at once with his duties.

Strang and Daly moved that the market and town hall committee consist of Messrs. Goodridge, Fraser and Cameron.

Rev. John McDougall, of Morley, writes to the Free Press that the region to be traversed by the H. B. Railway is not the barren waste of rock and swamp that has been represented, with an arctic climate. He describes it as a region having large areas of extremely fertile land and a summer climate more favorable to vegetation than that of the great plains. Mr. McDougall made a trip through that region recently and therefore is in a position to speak with authority. This is interesting and valuable information.

The license commissioners for license district No. 8, which includes the electoral districts of Edmonton, St. Albert and Red Deer, have been appointed. They are Jas. McDonald, Edmonton; F. Lamoureux, Fort Saskatchewan; P. R. Wood, Poplar Grove. They will appoint one or more license inspectors for the district at once.

A great demand for bluestone has sprung up in Manitoba owing to the anti-smut agitation amongst the farmers.

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NOTICE.

Pursuant to the provisions of "The Territories Real Property Act" Chaptered 51 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, Section 119, I the undersigned Registrar of the North Alberta Land Registration District, hereby give notice that on the fourteenth day of March, A. D., 1892, I will issue to Henry W. McKenney of the settlement of Saint Albert, in the District of Alberta, Merchant, a Provisional Certificate of Ownership for the Southwest one quarter (4) of Section thirty-four (34) in Township fifty-four (54) in Range twenty-five (25) West of the fourth (4th) Principal Meridian in the District of Alberta aforesaid in lieu of certificate Number 491, which has been lost.

Dated at Edmonton this 10th day of February, A. D., 1892.

GEO. ROY,
Registrar of N. A. L. R. D.
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Dried Apples, 12c per lb.	25 lb. Box New Valencia Raisins, \$3.50.
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Fry's Chocolate, 40c per lb.	Taylor's Soluble, 50c per lb.
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EDMONTON.

The completion of the C. & E. railway to Edmonton last August, practically added a new province to the Dominion of Canada, a province of more fertility, more pleasant and healthful climate, and more abundant and varied resources than possessed by any other—that is the Upper valley of the Great Saskatchewan river—commonly called Northern Alberta, with its tributary territory of the vast Mackenzie basin. Although geographically and politically this region was hitherto as much a part of Canada as it is now, commercially and socially it was not, and could not be as long as the railway station nearest to its trade centre, which is the town of Edmonton, was 200 miles away, that is at Calgary. Although trade and settlement progressed, they did so on terms and under conditions different from those prevailing in the parts of the country touched by railways. There was a general knowledge of the existence and geography of this district, but no living interest was felt in it for it was practically inaccessible for ordinary business purposes by ordinary business means. Now, however, that the railway has reached it, Edmonton has become as accessible as Regina or Calgary or Vancouver, and an interest is consequently felt in its existence, condition and prospects such as there never was before. The great drawback to the general desirability of the Northwest in eastern eyes, is the supposition that it is entirely a treeless waste, with a uniform winter climate of long continued extreme cold and frequent severe storms. However applicable this description may be to Manitoba or other parts of the Territories it does not apply to the Edmonton district. Here is a region of more fertile and productive soil than any part of the Great Plains; where there is not only plenty of prairie land, but also abundance of timber for all purposes of building fencing and fuel; where owing to comparative nearness to the warm waters of the Pacific ocean and the consequent effect of the warm winds from those waters, as well as the greater distance from the Arctic waters of the Hudson's Bay, the winter season is much shorter and less severe than in more eastern parts of the Territories, or in Manitoba; where owing partly to the lower elevation of the country and to its surface being so generally sheltered with woods, the severe storms of the plains, of either summer or winter, are unknown. Where there is an abundant and assured rainfall, evidenced by the growth of timber and the abundance of streams and ponds, such as the plains are not blessed with; and where the dew falls more heavily than in any other part of North America, giving vegetation a vigor of growth such as is seen nowhere else outside the tropics. This is the region which travellers, and missionaries of 30, 20 and even 15 years ago described so enthusiastically and which travellers of more recent days on the main line of the C. P. R. regarded as a myth. The question naturally arises, why did the C. P. R. Co. build across bare and unattractive plains if such a country as this existed and was of any considerable extent. One reason was, the C. P. R.

wanted the shortest line to the coast and the south line is the shortest. Another reason was that at the time the C. P. R. was being built the world was crazy on wheat and the authorities fancied that the high, dry plains could be turned into wheat farms more easily, quickly and cheaply than the partly wooded and watered northern region. The result has not justified their expectations. The location of the main line across the plains instead of along the valley of the Saskatchewan is now universally admitted to have been a great mistake, and the C. P. R. company have selected nearly a third of their land grant in the Saskatchewan valley, far away from their main line, a very large proportion being in the Edmonton district, and have caused the C. & E. railway to be built to make it accessible to settlement.

Edmonton is the oldest agricultural settlement in the Northwest, farming having been carried on here by the Hudson's Bay company and afterwards by settlers for over 50 years. The first farming by settlers was probably done in the 60's, it increased considerably during the 70's, and still more rapidly in the early 80's when it was confidently expected that the C. P. R. would come by way of Edmonton. When that expectation was not realized there was a decline for some years. When it is considered that the distance from railway made very dear everything that the farmer had to buy, and at the same time prevented the shipment by train to outside markets of a single article of produce, the slow growth of settlement is accounted for. At the same time the fact that the farmers, who all started on almost nothing, have prospered more generally than those who settled on any part of the plains, shows that the country has been productive and the local market good. A point in favor of this district is that while it still offers large areas of free land, the conditions governing its soil and climate are well known, and a new settler may be profitably guided by the experience of the earlier settlers as he cannot be in an entirely new section of the country where all the peculiarities of soil and climate have to be learned by dear bought experience. That people came to settle in those early and difficult days, is proof of the apparent advantages of this district over other sections of the Northwest, and that they prospered is proof that those advantages were real. Although wheat raising is not the most profitable system of farming, still it must be admitted that the capacity of any region to raise wheat is the universally accepted test of its suitability for profitable farming. The Edmonton district claims pre-eminence as a mixed farming country, but it can stand the wheat test. Wheat has been grown at Edmonton ever since farming has been carried on here. First it was ground in a mill run by horse power in the H. B. Fort. This was succeeded by water mills, on the mill creek, on the south side of the Saskatchewan, immediately opposite the town of Edmonton, on the Smok-ing lake creek, near Victoria settlement, and later by one on the Sturgeon river. These again were succeeded by the steam mill owned by Fraser & Co., in a steam mill built to the Hudson's Bay company, since burned down, and by a steam mill at St. Albert, owned by Geo. Hutton. These are the only mills

west of Regina. While the whole region west of Regina, excepting Edmonton, has not yet raised enough wheat to justify the erection of a mill—is in fact chiefly a stock country—Edmonton has had and still has mills to grind the local wheat crop, growing in capacity with the growth of the country. In this the first season since the arrival of the railway 13 car loads of wheat have been shipped from Edmonton to Toronto, where it has been in such good demand, that the average price paid at Edmonton was higher than the average paid throughout Manitoba, being from 45c to 60c a bushel. As Edmonton is only in the latitude of Dublin, Liverpool and York in Ireland and England there is no reason why wheat should not be the success that is undoubtedly is. During the past year, the average crop of wheat was not less than 35 bushels to the acre. Alex. Adamson, of Clover Bar, had 48 bushels to the acre off a large field. Alex. McNabb, of Stony Plain, had 53 measured bushels to the acre off twelve acres, and the grain weighed 64 pounds to the bushel as it came from the threshing. On the almost adjoining farms of Messrs. McNabb, McPherson and Lucette none of the wheat yielded less than 40 bushels to the acre. Of course the yield is not as good every year, but the average is higher than in the best parts of Ontario, and the return more certain than in any other part of the Northwest or Manitoba, excepting perhaps the Red River valley. While the Edmonton district is unexcelled for wheat, it excels all other sections of North America in the production of oats, barley and coarse roots and vegetables. There are a number of recorded yields of oats from one hundred to one hundred and twenty bushels per acre, and the oats grown during the past season and now being marketed weigh up to 50 pounds to the measured bushel. Oats have never been a failure here from any cause, and a crop less than 50 bushels to the acre is considered a poor return. Barley is also a complete success, yielding up to 60 bushels per acre, with an average of 35, usually weighing over 59 pounds to the bushel. Two rowed English barley does as well as six rowed Canadian, but requires a longer season to mature. At the Winnipeg exhibition of last fall the Edmonton exhibit of grain in the straw took first prize over the whole Territories, and the Edmonton exhibit of native grasses also took first prize against the strongest competition. Regarding roots and vegetables this district is unapproached. Potatoes yield enormously and are large size and of excellent quality. At last fall's agricultural show potatoes were shown which measured a foot by a foot and seven inches around, swede turnips, 2 feet 8 inches around and perfectly solid, white turnips, 3 feet around, horn carrot, 1 foot around, cabbage, 4 feet 1 inch around, red cabbage, 3 feet 5½ inches around, celery, 1 foot 2½ inches around at the root, red weathersfield onion, 13 inches around, flat beets, 2 feet 4 inches around, mangold, 1 foot 8 inches. These vegetables were grown in farmers' gardens and not by professional gardeners, and the dimensions given have all been excelled in former years. These are the vegetables in which Edmonton excels. At the same exhibition were shown cabbages 25 inches around, pumpkin, 4 feet 3½ inches, sunflower, 3 feet 8 inches, ripe tomatoes and cucumbers. These vegetables can be grown, but they are not the specialties of the district and require careful handling.

The soil upon which these products are grown is a black purely vegetable mould, from one to three feet in depth, perfectly free from stone, overlying light-colored clay sub-soil, about twelve feet in thickness. This rests on blue clay in which are streaks of gravel carrying water, and the layers of coal which have made this district famous and which are so valuable in furnishing a cheap fuel, good alike for heating or steam raising purposes, easily worked and inexhaustible. The coal used for fuel in the town of Edmonton is mined directly under it, and is delivered at \$2.50 to \$2.75 a ton. This soil, it can be easily understood, retains the moisture which falls upon it, a most desirable feature in a region where the rainfall, although heavier than in other parts of the Territories, is not equal to the average in Eastern Canada.

The climate which causes the soil to produce is, as before stated, more moist than in other parts of the Territories, the dew fall is phenomenally heavy, which makes up for any lack of rainfall as it is not made up for in the prairie regions, the higher elevation of the country does not admit of quite as much summer heat as in the low lying Red River valley, but the western situation ensures a longer season of growth which makes up in the case of the hardy grains and vegetables for the lower temperature and gives them a better quality; its sheltered nature protects it to a great extent from the sudden and destructive changes of temperature during the growing season to which all parts of the Great Plains are subject. The winter is shorter and the climate is less severe than in Manitoba and less changeable than in the southern part of the Territories. In the fall the ground generally freezes from the 1st to the 25th of November. Cold weather and snow come about the 1st of January. January and the first half of February is generally the season of extreme cold, although this year there has been no very cold weather. Snow continues to fall until the middle of March, when it usually begins to go. Plowing begins from the 1st to the 20th of April and seeding at the same time. Spring frosts cease about the 24th of May. The spring is generally dry and windy, the only unfavorable season in the year. Rain begins to fall about the last week of May or early in June and the summer has commenced. June is generally rainy and sometimes the early part of July. Barley harvest commences from the first to the second week in August. Wheat and oats from the second week in August to the first week in September. Fall frosts begin from the 6th to the 20th of September, after which the growth of grain and potatoes ceases. Turnips, cabbages, carrots, etc., grow until the ground freezes in November, but are always taken up in October. There is seldom any rain after July and from that time until January the weather is delightful. Cattle can feed on the prairie from April 1st or 20th until December 1st or 15th as a rule and grass is green from May 1st or 15th to October 1st or 15th. This is a much longer season of green grass than any other part of the Territories of Manitoba affords and is of the very greatest advantage for dairying purposes, placing this district in the head of all others.

A good market is as necessary to the farmer as a good

crop. Although Edmonton is further removed from the European market than any other section of the Northwest it is just that much nearer the better market of British Columbia, being nearer than any other producing district of the Northwest. British Columbia, by reason of its mining, lumbering and fishing industries has always been a large consumer of agricultural products. The field within and connected with that province for the extension of these industries is unlimited, while its agricultural area is very small. Consequently it must always import agricultural products and must increase these imports with every increase of development. At the present time British Columbia requires ten times as much wheat, oats, barley, butter, cattle, sheep and hogs as the Edmonton district has to spare. Already 165 head of cattle have been purchased in this district this winter for shipment to British Columbia during March, at better than Manitoba prices. Small shipments of oats and barley have been made, and almost certainly a large quantity of potatoes will go forward in the spring. Edmonton is less than 700 miles from Vancouver, which is a better market than Montreal as against 1,300 that Winnipeg is from Montreal. A railroad built on a northern route as now proposed would very much shorten this distance to the Pacific coast.

In considering the advantages which the Edmonton district offers, it would be well for the intending settler to remember that no other district of North America possesses an equal combination. In no other district is wood, water, hay, pasture, good soil, pleasant, healthful and productive climate, good markets and free land to be found, coupled with the sound, social, political and religious institutions which prevail throughout the Territories. Here law and order are as well maintained, the rich man is protected in his property and the poor man in his rights, as in any part of Eastern Canada. Now that the railway is built this country will not wait long for settlers. Those who want free land in choice locations must come soon. There was a large immigration last year and there is every prospect of a much larger one this year. The rule is first come first served. Those who come early will get the best places, those who come later will have to go further away from mills, stores and markets. Of course the district will not fill up in one year or in two years, and those who are at the outskirts this year will be far within the limits next year, at the same time the advantage is against the man who waits. NOW is the time.

MUNICIPAL NOTES.

The following are included in the powers of the town council:

(28) Regulating the keeping and transporting of gunpowder and other combustible or dangerous materials:

(29) Preventing the defacing of private or other property by printed or other notices;

(30) Regulating the rate or pace of riding or driving on bridges, and the number of horses, sheep or cattle to be crossed thereon;

(31) Licensing, regulating and governing transient traders, and other persons who occupy premises in the municipality for temporary periods and whose names have not been duly entered on the assessment roll in respect of income or personal property for the then current year; and for fixing the sum to be paid for a license for exercising any or all such callings within the municipality, and the time the license shall be in force;

(32) Licensing hawkers; pedlars, billiard, pool and bagatelle tables, and bowling alleys, porters, water dealers, or carriers, or common carriers, draymen, hackmen, omnibus drivers and guides and regulating the same;

(33) Licensing or prohibiting shows, circuses, theatres or caravans;

(34) Licensing livery stables, sale stables, refreshment houses, public boarding or lodging houses, hotels and places of public resort or accommodation or amusement and private boarding and lodging houses, where at least four boarders or lodgers are kept;

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CRIMINAL COURT.

TUESDAY, March 1st.

Judge Rouleau presiding.
Queen vs. M. H. Boulais—Defendant was charged with resisting and unlawfully obstructing a policeman in the discharge of his duty. Not guilty, N. D. Beck, crown prosecutor, for the crown. R. Strachan, for defendant.

Queen vs. J. Mearon—Prisoner was charged with burglary with intent to commit rape. The case was tried by a jury who gave a verdict of "Not guilty," N. D. Beck for the crown, J. C. F. Bown, for the prisoner.

THURSDAY, March 3rd.

Queen vs. J. Mearon—Prisoner was charged with indecent assault and pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to two months imprisonment and six lashes. N. D. Beck, for the crown, J. C. F. Bown, for the prisoner.

Queen vs. Maggie Pepin—Prisoner was charged with wounding her brother with intent to do grievous bodily harm. The case was tried before a jury who returned a verdict of "Not guilty," N. D. Beck, for the crown, H. C. Taylor, for the prisoner.

CORRESPONDENCES.

EAST EDMONTON P. P. SCHOOL.

Editor Edmonton BULLETIN.

SIR,—About a fortnight ago an advertisement was inserted in the BULLETIN advertising for an assessor for the above school district. I personally know of two tenders having been put in, one for \$10.50 and one for \$18. The party who quoted \$10.50 is a person in every fitted to be trusted with the assessing. I would like it explained to me why therefore the trustees should take it upon themselves to give the \$18 man the job. Men in their position are supposed to handle the public monies, for school purposes, in the most economical way possible, without showing any partiality to one individual over another. Has this been done in this case? I leave it to the public of Edmonton and district to judge. By giving the above matter space in your valuable paper you will greatly oblige

Yours, etc.,

KATEPAYER.

STURGEON, February 25th, 1892.

The Editor of the Edmonton BULLETIN,

DEAR SIR,—As a matter of news I send you for publication a copy of a petition numerously signed which will speak for itself.

Yours, etc.,

W. H. CARSON,

The Bishop and the Executive Committee of the Diocese of Calgary
MY LORD AND GENTLEMEN,

We, the churchwarden and attendants at the services of the Church of England, at the old Sturgeon river settlement, beg respectfully to address the Executive Committee of the Calgary Diocese and to say as follows: That we hear with great regret that it is in contemplation to remove from our midst the services of the Rev. Canon Newton, who is greatly beloved by us for his zeal, wisdom and kindness. The reverend gentleman planted the Church of England among us and for the permanent welfare of the Church we deprecate any present change.

We send this communication after anxious consideration, and hope it will receive your kind and favorable attention.

HOTEL ARRIVALS BY TRAIN.

Monday.

Alberta—A. Wilson, A. Bueler and M. Chilcat, Winnipeg; Judge Rouleau, Calgary; D. M. Radcliffe, Big Hill Springs; W. Maloney, Calgary; Mr. Brigham, of Smith & Brigham, millers, Moosomin.

Jasper—Jas. Walsh, J. D. McEachren, H. Irvine, T. G. Pearce.

Thursday.

Jasper—A. Howrey

HOTEL DEPARTURES BY TRAIN.

Wednesday.

Alberta—A. Bueler, A. Wilson, M. Chilcat, Jasper—T. G. Pearce.

Friday.

Alberta—Judge Rouleau, W. Maloney, M. Brigham, L. Kelly.

Jasper—H. Irwin, Dr. Telford, J. Thurston.

Canada—F. Wall.

CURLING.

The following curlers left on Friday's train for Calgary to play a return match with the Calgary men: Jas. McDonald, J. Thurston, E. Raymer, T. G. Lander, F. Ross, Geo. Thomson, Rev. D. G. McQueen, who is in Calgary, will probably play, which will make two risks. Mr. Raymer will play his own rink, who took second prize in the Edmonton tournament.

The Inland revenue department is now taking action against grocers in all the leading Canadian cities for selling adulterated coffee.

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LOCAL.
JOS. McDONALD returned this week from the Landing, where he had been with H. B. freight. The ship was three feet deep near the Landing. Alex. Hendrick, who came in from Slave lake to the Landing, reported three feet of snow on the Slave river, Jas. Gullion and J. Hendrick went to the Landing two weeks ago, left their loads at the Landing, half way, and were four days making the remaining 45 miles. A dog train was sent out from the Landing to meet them.
C. O. SWANSON, of Waterville, Quebec, who visited Edmonton last fall as a land hunter, writes to the *Manitoba Free Press* that he has been working as agent for the Glendora Homestead Settlement company among the Scandinavian settlements in the New England States. During his visit he met thirty men who had left Canada, and the majority had not done as well as those in like circumstances who had stayed behind. His letter is too long to quote in these columns, although for sound practical sense it is well worth reproduction. The closing sentence is: "Boys get a farm, and the best place to find it is in the Great Northwest, where there are millions of acres waiting for you."

A MEETING of the members of the Edmonton base ball club was held on Thursday evening in Geo. Thomson's hall for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the club for the season. W. Patton, chairman; Geo. Thomson, secretary. There were 25 members present. A year were shown to be \$100.00 and the expenditures \$100.30. It was decided that all outstanding accounts should be paid forthwith, which will leave a small balance in the treasurer's hands. A vote of thanks was passed to the members of the club who assisted at the concert. Also a vote of thanks to A. H. Anthony for the management of the same. The meeting adjourned until Thursday night, 10th inst., when reorganization will be effected for the coming season's play.

C. W. J. HAWORTH has received a letter from an experienced operator of cheese factories at Brighton, Ontario, giving particulars as to cost of cheese factory outfit as follows: Boiler \$125; milk vat \$80; cheese press \$41; pair scales \$22; weigh can \$10; milk condenser for \$2.50; 2 curd knives \$14; curd mill \$10; curd filler \$1.50; pails, dipper and scoop \$2.50; thermometer and milk testers \$3. Total \$316.00. This rig would work 1,000 lbs. of milk which would make 7 cheeses. The capacity could be doubled by adding a vat and press. Price, \$300. The information received by the writer thinks cheese could be made here for six or eight months in the year. He considers that the wages of a man to operate the factory should be \$200 for six months or \$50 a month with board. An extra vat and press would double the capacity.

The Edmonton base ball club gave a minstrel concert, in Field's hall, on Monday evening. There was a large attendance. F. D. Farlin was intercomer. A. H. Anthony and W. Price, hosts. C. D. T. Becker and Jas. Landrum, tambours. The following programme was given: Quartette, "Row Boatman Now," Messers, Kymor, Michael, Fortin and Becker. Song, "The Back Again," A. H. Anthony. Song, "The Boys in Blue," C. D. T. Becker. Song, "The Way of the World," with orchestra, Kymor, Michael, Fortin and Becker. Duet, barjo and guitar, Messrs. Van Buskirk and Anthony. Intermission. Overture, "Savane River," by the company. Song, "Lost in the Wide World," Mr. Michael. End Song, "Gwine to the Silver Wedding," W. Price. Song, "Safely Stocked in Mother's Arms," Mr. Kymor. End song, "Mary's gone with a Con," Jas. Landrum. Jr. Song, "Molly Darling," W. Wilkie. End song, "Wandering Coon," H. Anthony. End song, "The Old Gray Goose," Mr. Becker. Song, "The Gwine Back to Dixie," Mr. Fortin. God Save the Queen. Dr. Melvin played the piano accompaniment. W. Price, the violin. A handsome sum was realized for the funds of the club.

Our residents of Edmonton will remember Alfred Dawson, who was deceased some time ago. His wife was for two seasons, A. letter from J. Hignett, another old resident of Edmonton, who is in Johannesburg, Transvaal, South Africa, to T. S. Stewart, gives the information that Mr. Dawson is there. Mr. Dawson was born in Edmonton on a visit to his home in Black England, and instead of returning to Edmonton went to South Africa. His first employment was at \$25 a month. He was a member of the company with a number of others he acquired a mining property which turned out to be very rich. The property was sold to a number of capitalists, for cash and shares in the new company. Dawson's share of the cash was \$25,000 or \$25,000, and his share was valued at \$100,000. He was a member of the company when it was sold, and he was a member of the company when it was sold. Dawson held on for a while. Sold to the Paris exhibition, and all the money, never thinking that there was a wife, mine, and returned to South Africa to find that the shares he had bought in value, but the property was in dispute, so that nothing could be realized, and he was "done" there. But he will leave, hearty and hopeful as ever and take of clear air in the Chicago exhibition and return home next year.

METEOROLOGICAL.

	Max.	Min.
Saturday,	37	11
Sunday,	46	12
Monday,	45	18
Tuesday,	46	20
Wednesday,	48	22
Thursday,	45	28
Friday,	46	30
Saturday,	46	30

Barometer rising 27.472.

NOTICE.
 It is given that application will be made to the Lieutenant-Governor of the Northwest Territories of Canada, for Letters Patent constituting the under-named applicants and such others may become shareholders in the Company, a body corporate and public, under the name of "The Edmonton Mining Company," for the purpose and with the power of conducting mining business and of buying, selling and dealing in grain and produce in the Edmonton Settlement and throughout the Northwest Territories of Canada, with the chief place of business at said Edmonton Settlement. The amount of its capital stock is to be \$50,000 in three hundred and fifty shares of \$100 each. The names in full and addresses and callings of each of applicants are as follows:—William McKenna, of the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, Railway Contractor, James Ross and Herbert S. Hill, both of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, Railway Contractors, and Augustus Meredith Nanton, of the City of Winnipeg aforesaid, Broker, and the said applicants are to be the first and provisional directors of the said Company.
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